



MIAMI BEACH

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER

SITUATION REPORT: #15	Incident Name: Hurricane Wilma	Date Prepared: 10/29/05 Time Prepared: 3:00 P.M.
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Current Situation:

- Still in EOC mode versus departmental mode; remind CMB departments that everything still needs to get routed via CMB EOC; EOC will be operational on Saturday, October 29th from 9 am to 4 pm and Sunday, October 30 from 10 am to 3 pm
- Countywide curfew in effect from 12PM to 6AM; No curfew on Miami Beach; MBPD will monitor access along causeways and provide high profile patrol.
- An estimated 86% electrical power has been restored. Miami Beach 52,187 customers restored. 9,213 still out. Approximately 85% of all traffic lights are operational now—traffic light assessment to be completed later today. Country crew on site to repair.
- Water main break at Venetian Causeway has temporarily been patched; "Sea Tow" in the process of removing sunken sailboats in order to facilitate permanent repairs
- Pump stations status: 16 on permanent power, 4 on generator, 2 on permanent generator, and 2 on bypass.
- All major roadways cleared for access; major intersections still being manned or they have portable STOP signs deployed.
- Pickup crews working South of 17th Street picking up debris. 10 Ashbrite Crews are working on Sunset Islands 1, 2, 3 & 4, and Biscayne Pointe.
- Sidewalk Cafes are open for business
- Building crews continue assessing structural damage, in excess of 50 buildings have been identified for Red Tag as unsafe, FPL to work on list of disconnects as they are prioritized
- Beaches are open; Ocean Rescue is flying red flags; attendance is light today
- Miami-Dade schools closed Monday-10/31 and Tuesday-11/1; Broward schools closed on Monday-10/31
- Answer Center open on Saturday, October 29th and closed on Sunday, October 30th - message to ask callers to contact MDC 311 and/or City of Miami Beach website for information.
- MBPD reports call volume at normal levels
- MBPD Units are assigned to the following: Gas stations, major intersections, building closures, water & ice distribution sites, City Hall, and other strategic locations throughout the city.
- FD call volume steady; no calls holding presently
- City Hall is still not open to the public, however it is anticipated that it will be open for normal business on Monday, 10/31. Building Department permitting will be open on Monday for regular permitting.
- Elections – Governor Bush signed order calling for general election to take place on November 15th and run-off, if necessary, on November 29th.
- Scott Rakow, North Shore Recreation Center and PAL opened for school-aged children for residents and employees while school is out
- Finance Dept. has capability to do payables; currently working on payroll
- Arrangements have been made for FEMA to fuel 45 vehicles on Saturday, October 29, 2005
- Ice distribution will take place on Sunday, October 30th beginning at 10 am at the 72nd Street Parking Lot

Critical Issues:

- Status of FPL power restoration:
 - An estimated 86% electrical power has been restored. Miami Beach 61,800 affected, 52,187 customers restored. 9,213 still out.
 - Crews working on Normandy Isles & Normandy Shores.
 - FPL advises 95% of Miami Dade County will have power by November 15, 2005
 - Pump stations status: 20 on permanent power and 2 on generator
 - Neighborhoods: working on north end tonight where heaviest damage occurred
- FEMA Blue Roofing Program needed for damaged buildings; tarps will not help multi family, multi-story buildings because of the major roof damage
- Switch in City Hall has 7 of 8 cards lost; requires 5 hours to rebuild system—will be accomplished after closing on Saturday. Phone system will be down—no effect to PSCU.
- DRC request to be established for Miami Beach to assist with relocation for residents of condemned/unsafe buildings; request pending
- Relocation of residents of red-tagged buildings on-going; 11 buildings closed as of now; re-assessment also taking place to identify buildings that have taken corrective measures to repair; 15 inspectors working on this initiative (5 on relocation team, 5 on life-safety identification team, and 5 on advance team to identify patchable/repairable buildings)

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- Ashbriitt emergency recovery services, crews on-site with trimmers and other heavy equipment to support PWD and Parks Dept.
- MBPD Headquarters fully powered and radio communications established
- Mount Sinai online with power as well as MB Convention Ctr., and MB Fire Stations 1, 2, 3 and 4
- City Hall back on line with power, water, and sewage fully operational
- All City parking garages open for normal business
- Villa Maria is closed and unoccupied. Residents have been evacuated to hotels
- VMS signage in place and on stand-by; all flashing messages turned off
- LaGorce and Pinetree Drive requests completed; poles leaning and conductor on roof
- Utilities Status
 - Water is at normal operation
 - Sewer system is operational; all lines are functional
 - Icon is back on line with 20" water main break repaired
 - Power at 75 street restored
 - Sewage lift/pump stations 28 & 29 are up and running (this alleviates some of the diesel issue)
- Spreadsheet on all hotels with power completed
- Ice and Water distribution to residents
- Developed updated Media Advisory
- Delivered over 800 meals to all four MB Senior Citizen Buildings
- Ocean Drive and Lincoln Rd. open for business
- Identification Tags have been issued to EOC personnel
- FPL
 - Venetian substation on-line with power
 - Convention Center on-line with power
 - FD Station 1, 2, 3, and 4 on line
 - All FPL substations are functional
 - About 10 gas stations are operational with low to moderate lines
 - Water tanks are operational
 - ParkView Plaza radio tower is on-line with power
 - Portofino Towers and Rebecca Towers have electricity
 - NESS on-line with power
- 98% of Miami Beach Hotel/Motels have power. MIA is open and tourists will start to come in tomorrow; hotels are at the following occupancy rate:
 - Fountainbleau and Lowes Hotels are at 100%
 - South Beach Marriot is up and running with power
 - National is at 90%
 - South Beach Hotel/Motel group report 80%
 - 42nd Street Parking Department facility is on line with power
 - 100% of businesses on Lincoln Road operational; 90% of businesses on Ocean Drive operational.
- Federation Towers—has power and water; no longer requires Red Cross meals/provisions
- Ocean Drive sand removal completed on east side; west side to be started tomorrow at 5AM.
- Boil water order lifted
- Fuel supply issue resolved thru next week; Fleet has capacity of 18,500 gallons of fuel and is currently at full capacity with an additional tanker with 4500 gallons on-site for storage; employee assistance remains in place for today.
- Plan developed in coordination with owner of Texaco at 72 and Harding for gas provisions for "Disaster Recovery Only"; owner has 8000 gal. of fuel available-FPL working to get power there. Will require PD support; Shell and Chevron at that location should also come on-line simultaneously for public access.
- Plan developed for one-time fuel access for 200 Mt. Sinai employees at Terminal Island
- Telephone service at City Hall operational
- Additional tarps received and more ordered
- Julia Tuttle Debris Transfer site operational and PBS&J certified; 2 reduction machines enroute
- 6 FEMA trucks delivered to CMB with the following (resources adequate at this time):
 - 3 trucks with ice; 2 with water; 1 with MREs (security to be provided by PD)
- Golf Course reopened
- COW (cellular telephone system on wheels) is now fully operational
- Shortage of flares (for traffic diversion); City of Miami PD provided assistance with 10 cases per City of Miami PD Asst. Chief Adam Burden; additional supplies ordered
- MBFD devised an intermediate plan to resolve a STANDPIPE problem to ensure water flow at a structure located at 7832 Collins Avenue; referred to Fire Prevention for a permanent solution.
- SBST clean up crews are back in service (Lincoln Road, Ocean Drive, and Washington Avenue)

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Damage Assessment:

- Two (2) freight doors at Miami Beach Convention Center
- Eleven (11) Ocean Rescue Lifeguard Towers
- Old City Hall had a scaffolding collapse and damage to windows
- Roof at Sanitation Dept. has been compromised / damaged
- Lifeguard towers cannot be repaired until the County bulldozer comes back on line
- 36 buildings identified for Red Tag as unsafe; Damage assessment 70% completed; the remaining 30% is single family homes.
- List of building closures provided to Code, PD, and FPL; teams closed a total of 11 buildings; relocation & transportation provided to residents; shelter open at Coral Park High School.
- Full report on beachwalk and boardwalk forthcoming tomorrow; some damage has been noted already
- City Building Department issued an Emergency Demolition Order for 312 Ocean Drive a vacant building. Operations have barricaded the City block and rerouted traffic.

Planned Activities:

- Homeless Outreach being staffed
- Efforts are under way with Miami Dade County to assist with Beach clean up and repair of observation towers. On Saturday, October 29, at 8AM the destroyed observation towers will be picked up
- MBFD will be adjusting personnel schedules to provide operational capability
- MBPD in mobilization mode with cancellation of days off cancelled until further notice
- Working on being designated a Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) for all the barrier islands
- Will move sanitation to south end because Auto Show move-in requires north end for trucks to turn around
- Media Advisories:
 - List of gas stations open and with power
 - CMB Building Dept. open to process building permits
 - City Hall and all Departments open to public on Monday, 10/31
 - Boil water order lifted
 - Request residents/business' patience with FPL in restoration effort; please do not interrupt crews—causes additional delays
 - Advise gas stations to tell patrons of water/ice availability; CERT to assist with communication effort
 - Parking enforcement begins tomorrow
 - Need blast fax in English; Spanish translation to follow
 - 72 street P lot opening up as an ice distribution point for Sunday, 10/30 only
- Halloween police staffing on-going as an MEP in coordination with the CMB EOC.
- Parking meter collections will take place tomorrow
- Normal business at City Hall on Monday, 10/31.
- Employee Hotline message to be changed to "report to work on Monday and/or check with your Supervisor otherwise" and will add verbiage allowing children to come to work with employees because of no-school/child care.
- MBPD will ensure queuing lines for gas stations are progressing smoothly as well as monitoring activity in the affected streets
- Ice distribution will take place for one day only, Sunday 10/30 at 72 Street P-lot. PD will support with escort from distribution center either from Opa Locka or Haulover; 10AM distribution time; 8AM PD escort time.
- Code Compliance to be strict on:
 - illegal flyer handouts
 - non-hurricane related debris
- PW will pick up additional/replacement stop signs on Monday, 10/31
- Sea Tow bringing crews tomorrow for boat removal; PD Marine Patrol to support by contact owners once FL numbers are identified
- I.T. will verify that all work stations have adequate computer and phone access for Monday's normal business

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